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Police arrest a suspect for the shooting death of an Abilene man



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ABILENE TX- Abilene Police arrested a man suspected in the shooting death of Joel Garcia, DOB 7/14/1989. Police recovered a gun believed to be the weapon the suspect used to shoot Garcia at the scene. The suspect was captured by Police at the home where the shooting occurred.

Police were called out to the corner of Peach and S. 4th streets just before 6 p.m. of an injured subject. Police arrived to find Garcia deceased from a gunshot wound. A suspect was arrested at the scene. Several witnesses were detained and questioned. Charges are pending the outcome of the investigation. The body will be sent in for an autopsy.

Respectfully,

Rick Tomlin
Public Information Coordinator



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